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1. DEPARTMENT IS POUCHING MATERIAL ON U.S. LOS POSITIONS,
INCLUDING SECRETARY'S MONTREAL SPEECH AND STATEMENTS
BEFORE VARIOUS CONGRESSIONAL COMMITTEES BY U.S. LOS NEGO-
TIATORS, WHICH YOU MAY PASS ON TO SCHLUPP. YOU WILL NOTE
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THAT WE HAVE NOT INCLUDED RECENT EXECUTIVE BRANCH PRO-

NOUNCEMENTS ON 200-MILE FISHERIES BILL IN LIGHT OF SENATE
PASSAGE OF S. 961 (SEE STATE 023425).

2. MATERIALS POUCHES ADDRESS SOME OF THE POLITICAL IMPLI-
CATIONS OF US POSITIONS AS WELL AS DESCRIBING THOSE
POSITIONS. WITH REFERENCE TO SECRETARY'S MONTREAL SPEECH,
HOWEVER, WE BELIEVE THAT BASIC MESSAGE IS EXPLICIT IN
THE SPEECH ITSELF, INCLUDING ASSERTION OF BASIC U.S. INTER-
ESTS, AND OF U.S. WILLINGNESS SEEK EQUITABLE COMPROMISE
SOLUTIONS IN HOPE THAT INTERNATIONAL COMMUNITY NOT LOSE
OPPORTUNITY TO ACHIEVE AGREEMENT ON COMPREHENSIVE LEGAL
ORDER FOR THE OCEANS. FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON
POLITICAL IMPLICATIONS OF SPEECH, YOU MAY DRAW UPON DEPT

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